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REMARKS

Applicant requests reconsideration and reexamination of the above-identified application in view of the amendments made to the specification and claims. The following remarks state Applicant's bases for making this request and are organized according to the Examiner's Action by paragraph number.

Examiner's Action, Paragraph 4

Applicants have amended the specification to update the status of the parent application U. S. Serial No. 09/541,158, now U. S. Patent No. 6,663,954 granted October 14, 2003.

Examiner's Action, Paragraph 5

The Examiner objects to the abstract of the disclosure because it is directed solely to the method of the invention while the scope of the present claims are directed solely to the corresponding disk array storage device apparatus.

Applicants have amended the abstract of the disclosure.

Examiner's Action, Paragraphs 6 through 10

The Examiner rejects claims 23 through 44 based upon the non-statutory double patenting doctrine. A Terminal Disclaimer is submitted herewith.

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If there are any questions, we urge the Examiner to call us collect. Please charge any costs in connection with this document to our Deposit Account No. 05-0889.

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